

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
BRYSON CITY DIVISION**

CRIMINAL CASE NO. 2:09cr29-4

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)

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vs.

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JAIME MARTINEZ.

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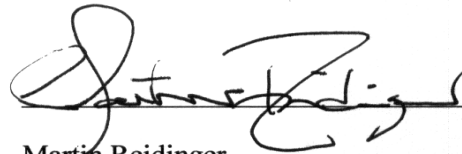
ORDER

THIS MATTER is before the Court on a letter written by the Defendant in a *pro se* capacity to Magistrate Judge Dennis L. Howell [Doc. 71]. Since that letter was sent, the Defendant has also written to the undersigned as well as to the United States Attorney and the United States Probation Office. The letters appear to be identical.

The Defendant's case has been calendared for trial during the January 25, 2010 term of court. The Defendant, who is represented by competent counsel, may not address the Court in a *pro se* capacity while so represented. Instead, all communication with the Court must be made through his attorney and the Defendant should raise any concerns which he may have with his attorney.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the Defendant shall
communicate with the Court only through counsel.

Signed: January 6, 2010


Martin Reidinger
United States District Judge

